Barring Professionals from Civil Services

2568. SHRIMATI N.P. DURGA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to barring professionals such as engineers, doctors, etc. from recruiting themselves into Civil Services;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether it is because of the fact that medical and engineering education is highly subsidized; and

(d) if not, the other reasons behind this proposed move?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) to (d) There is no proposal for barring professionals from recruitment through Civil Services Examination.

Mutual Transfers of Employees between Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh

†2569. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of cases of division and mutual transfers of employees and officers pending as on 31st January, 2005 after division of State between Chhattisgarh and Madhya Pradesh;

(b) the number of *sub-judice* cases out of them;

(c) the number of pending cases related to transfer of spouse in different State; and

(d) the details of the action being taken to find out the reasons for pendency of the cases and their disposal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) After the issue of final allocation orders by the Central Government between the successor States of Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh, orders

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.